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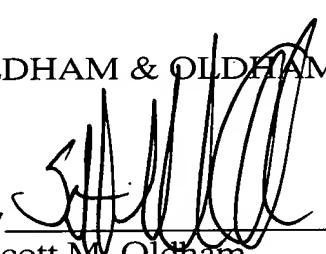
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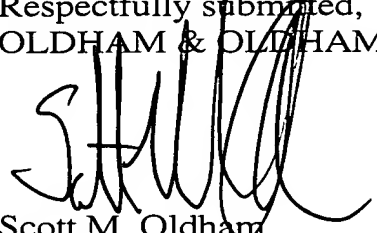
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A list of two (2) U.S. patents, and two (2) articles cited by the applicant is enclosed on Form PTO-1449, which is attached and made a part thereof.

The foregoing Information Disclosure Statement is based upon the information contained in the undersigned attorney's file as of the filing date of this statement, and is inclusive of the best information know to the undersigned at that date. Prompt consideration of the Information Disclosure Statement and the references by the Examiner is requested.

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